

The Government Guest House at Bangalore, *viz.*, the Residency, the Crescent House, the Carlton House and the Park House and the Official residences of Ministers, *viz.*, Race View, Race View Cottage and Vimala Prabha are under the control of the Chief Secretary to Government, who is assisted by the Registrar, Mysore Government Secretariat and the Superintendent, Guest Houses. But, in Mysore, only a few of the Government Guest Houses, *viz.*, the Old and New Indian Guest Quarters and the Secretariat Staff Quarters are under the control of the Chief Secretary, the local officer in charge being the Superintendent, Indian Guest Quarters. All the Official Residences of Ministers at Mysore, except "Jaladarshini" are similarly under the control of the Chief Secretary. However, the other important Government Guest Houses at Mysore, *viz.*, Government House, Staff Quarters and Lalitha Mahal as also the Government Hotels—Hotel Metropole, Hotel Krishnarajasagar, are in charge of the Private Secretary to His Highness the Rajpramukh of Mysore. It is now considered desirable to vest all Government Guest Houses and Hotels directly under the control of the Chief Secretary to Government, with effect from 1st May 1953.

The Chief Secretary or the Registrar, Mysore Government Secretariat, will inspect all these Guest Houses and Hotels as frequently as may be necessary to ensure uniformity both with regard to treatment of Guests as also the administration of these institutions.

N. PUTTARANGASWAMY,  
*Chief Secretary to Government.*

**FINANCIAL SECRETARIAT**

**Authorises the Deputy Commissioners of Districts to order the destruction of the Time Expired Records of the Taluk and District Treasuries.**

**READ—**

Letter No. 64/E./T.M., dated the 22nd December 1952, from the Accountant-General, Mysore, requesting that Article 324 of M.C.A.C., Volume II, relating to destruction of time expired records of District and Taluk Treasuries, may be suitably amended.

**ORDER No. Fl. (B) 14648-58—C.R. 10-52-3, DATED BANGALORE,  
THE 27TH MARCH 1953.**

The Accountant-General has reported that it is unnecessary to obtain the certificate prescribed from him before the records of Taluk and District Treasuries enumerated in Appendix XXVI of the M.C.A.C., Volume II, are destroyed, when they become time-barred and that the Deputy Commissioners themselves may be authorised to order the destruction of the time-expired records after satisfying themselves that they will no longer be required, a reference being made to his office only in cases of doubt.

The proposals of the Accountant-General are accepted.

M. SHAMANNA,  
*Secretary to Government,  
Finance Department.*

**Continues the maximum limit of Advance for purchase of a bicycle, until further orders.**

**READ—**

Government Order No. Fl. 6768-6868—G.F. 251-51-2, dated the 16th February 1952, directing, among other things, that the maximum limit of advance of Rs. 300 permissible to Government servants intending to purchase bicycles be in force for a period of one year from 1st April 1952.

**ORDER No. Fl. 9175-9325—G.F. 249-52-1, DATED BANGALORE,  
THE 28TH MARCH 1953.**

As the conditions of the market continue to be same as before, it is directed that the maximum limit of advance of Rs. 300 for the purchase of a bicycle sanctioned in the Government Order dated the 16th February 1952, read above, be continued until further orders.

M. SHAMANNA,  
*Secretary to Government,  
Finance Department.*